

## **MEDIA RELEASE**

## Popular Concerts in the Park Series Begins Thursday, June 28, with Latin Sensations Los Pinguos

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It's one of Santa Barbara's best summer traditions-- the City's free summer concert series Thursday nights from 6-8:30 pm at Chase Palm Park during the months of June, July, and August! Every year, over 5,000 fans dust off their dancing shoes every week, pack up a picnic dinner and join friends and family to celebrate summer and some great free music concerts in Santa Barbara's beautiful Chase Palm Park, located on Cabrillo Boulevard along the gorgeous Santa Barbara waterfront.

This season kicks off at 6 pm on Thursday, June 28, with Los Pinquos from Buenos Aires, Argentina. They will perform an exciting mixture of Latin rhythms, with Spanish guitars, a Cuban Tres, Peruvian Cajón and harmonizing vocals. Vivacious and infectious, the sound of Los Pinguos has claimed fans worldwide, from Buenos Aires to the streets of Los Angeles!

Concert goers are reminded to bring lawn chairs, blankets, and a picnic; that dogs are welcome on leash; alcoholic beverages are not permitted in the park; and there is no blanket/chair set up prior to 12 noon on the day of the concert.

Future concerts run the gamut from Cajun to Caribbean, rock to gypsy jazz. For a complete concert schedule, go to <a href="https://www.santabarbaraca.gov/Resident/Things/Arts/Concerts\_in\_the\_Parks.htm">www.santabarbaraca.gov/Resident/Things/Arts/Concerts\_in\_the\_Parks.htm</a>

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